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**REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTOR'S NAME RE TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR**

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Sir:

Applicants' attorney respectfully requests that the following inventor's name be corrected as follows due to a typographical error:

Please change --David L. DesJardins-- to "David L. desJardins".

Applicant's attorney notes that this change only reflects a typographical error and a new oath or declaration under 37 CFR 1.63 is not required.

Respectfully submitted,

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